



# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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| Application Number     | 10/021,984        |
| Filing Date            | December 14, 2000 |
| First Named Inventor   | Sergiu Radu       |
| Art Unit               | 2831              |
| Examiner Name          | Hung V. Ngo       |
| Attorney Docket Number | 843161-91         |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

## 1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Fees

The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ 05/06/2003 AMONDAE1 00000088 10021984
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$ 750.00 enclosed 01 FC:1801 750.00 OP
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Applicants: RADU et al.

Serial No.: 10/021,984

Filed: December 14, 2001

Title: EMI-SHIELDING RISER CARD FOR A  
COMPUTER CHASSIS

Art Unit: 2831

Examiner: Hung V. Ngo

AMENDMENT

Box RCE  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is filed in connection with the accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and is responsive to the final Office Action dated January 29, 2003. Accordingly, please amend the above-identified application as shown herein.

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